

control of 556 acres in Queen Anne's County for the heirs of Jacob Seth. **SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN LAND BETWEEN FIRST ELECTION AND DEATH:** purchased 642 acres in Talbot County, 1783–1784. **WEALTH AT DEATH.** **DIED:** between November 5, 1784, and January 8, 1785, probably in Queen Anne's County. **PERSONAL PROPERTY:** TEV, £3,115.11.10 Spanish milled dollars at 7/6 (including 27 slaves, books, silver, and a gristmill with a 35-year lease); FB, estate overpaid £40.9.3. **LAND:** 685 acres in Caroline and Talbot counties.

**SEWALL, HENRY** (?–1665). **BORN:** in England, probably in Warwickshire. **IMMIGRATED:** in 1661, as a free adult with his wife and three children. **RESIDED:** on the Patuxent River, Calvert County. **FAMILY BACKGROUND.** **FATHER:** Richard Sewall (?–1638), of Nuneaton, Warwick, son of Henry Sewall, mayor and alderman of Coventry. **MOTHER:** Mary, daughter of John Dugdale of Shustoke, Warwick. **BROTHERS:** Richard; Samuel. **MARRIED** Jane (?–1700/1), daughter of Vincent Lowe of Denby, Derbyshire, England. Her brothers were **Vincent Lowe** (?–1692); Nicholas; Henry (?–1700); and John (1616–?). Her sisters were Dorothy; Grace; Anne; and Mary. Jane Lowe Sewall married second, in 1666, **Charles Calvert, 3rd Lord Baltimore** (1637–1714/15). **CHILDREN.** **SON:** **Nicholas Sewall** (ca. 1655–1737). **DAUGHTERS:** Elizabeth (?–ca. 1710), who married first, **Jesse Wharton** (?–1676), and second, **William Digges** (ca. 1650–1697); Mary (?–1693/94), who married first, William Chandler (1652–1685), son of **Job Chandler** (?–1659), and second, George Brent; Anne (?–1693), who married first, **Benjamin Rozer** (?–1681), and second, **Edward Pye** (?–1696); and Jane (ca. 1664–1692), who married in 1681 **Philip Calvert** (1626–1682). **PRIVATE CAREER.** **EDUCATION:** literate, probably well educated. **RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION:** Catholic. **SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES:** arrived with three servants; intimate friend of **Charles Calvert, 3rd Lord Baltimore** (1637–1714/15), with whom he came to Maryland; returned briefly to England in 1664; the marriages of Sewall's children became the basis for Calvert's creation of an intimate, loyal Council. **OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE:** planter, placeman. **PUBLIC CAREER.** **LEGISLATIVE SERVICE:** Upper House, 1662, 1663–1664 (did not attend the 2nd session). **OTHER PROVINCIAL OFFICES:** Council, 1661–1665; provincial secretary and judge of Probate, 1661–1665; justice, Provincial Court, 1661–1665. **MILITARY SERVICE:** colonel, 1661–1665. **WEALTH DURING LIFETIME.** **LAND:** patented ca. 13,000 acres, 1663–

1665; sold 5,000 acres, 1664/65. **WEALTH AT DEATH.** **DIED:** will probated April 17, 1665. **PERSONAL PROPERTY:** TEV, at least 73,520 pounds of tobacco (including plate valued at 400 pounds of tobacco). **LAND:** probably 8,000 acres.

**SEWALL, NICHOLAS** (ca. 1655–1737). **BORN:** ca. 1655, in England; only son. **IMMIGRATED:** in 1661, as a minor with parents from England. **RESIDED:** in St. Mary's County; visited England in 1715. **FAMILY BACKGROUND.** **FATHER:** **Henry Sewall** (?–1665). **STEPFATHER:** **Charles Calvert, 3rd Lord Baltimore** (1637–1714/15). **MOTHER:** Jane Lowe (?–1700/1). **UNCLE:** **Vincent Lowe** (?–1692). **HALF BROTHERS:** **Cecilius Calvert** (1667–1681); **Benedict Leonard Calvert** (1679–1715). **SISTERS:** Jane, who married **Philip Calvert** (1626–1682); Elizabeth (?–ca. 1710), who married first, **Jesse Wharton** (?–1676), and second, **William Digges** (ca. 1650–1697); Anne (?–1693), who married first, **Benjamin Rozer** (?–1681), and second, **Edward Pye** (?–1696); and Mary (?–1693/94), who married first, William, (1652–1685), son of **Job Chandler** (?–1659). **HALF SISTERS:** Clare Calvert (1670–by 1694); Anne Calvert (1673–1731). **MARRIED** Susanna, daughter of **William Burgess** (ca. 1622–1686/87). **CHILDREN.** **SONS:** Charles (?–1742), who married Elinor, widow of John Tasker (?–1711) of Calvert County, daughter of **Thomas Brooke** (ca. 1659–1730/31); Henry (?–1722), who married Elizabeth Lawson, who subsequently married **Philip Lee** (ca. 1681–1744); Nicholas (?–1732); and Clement (?–1740), who married Mary, daughter of John Smith of Calvert County. **DAUGHTERS:** Jane (?–1761), who married Clement (1676–1737), son of **Thomas Brooke** (1632–1676); Clare, who married first, Thomas Tasker (?–ca. 1733), and second, William Young (?–1772); Elizabeth (?–1752), who married **Peregrine Frisby** (1688–1739); Susanna, who married George Douglass of Kent County; Mary, who married first, William (1699–1724), son of **James Frisby** (ca. 1651–1704), and second, Dominick Carroll of Cecil County; Ann (?–1789), who married Joseph Douglass; and Sophia, who married John Cooke of Prince George's County. **PRIVATE CAREER.** **EDUCATION:** literate, probably had considerable schooling. **RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION:** Catholic. **SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES:** second generation councillor. In 1692 Sewall was found not guilty of the 1689/90 murder of customs collector John Payne. **OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE:** planter. **PUBLIC CAREER.** **LEGISLATIVE SERVICE:** Upper House, 1682–1684, 1686–1688. **OTHER**